

# MARYLAND CHILDREN'S HEALTH PROGRAM

#### Health Care for Children and Pregnant Women

### Free Health Care Coverage

The Maryland Children's Health Program (MCHP) offers a full range of benefits including hospital care, medical doctor visits, lab tests, prescriptions, eye care and dental coverage for children 18 years old or younger and pregnant women (regardless of age)

## **Low-cost Health Care Coverage**

If your children are not eligible for free health care services through **MCHP**, you may purchase coverage for your children through **MCHP Premium**. The one premium payment will cover all eligible children within the family unit. The monthly premium is \$48 or \$60 per month based on family income. Customers who ask for the Premium program <u>must</u> answer YES to the question on the application regarding your willingness to pay a premium.

#### <u>Income Qualifying Levels – Effective March 1, 2009</u>

Income before taxes and other deductions is counted as income. If your income is a little higher than the amount shown for your family size, you and your children may still qualify. To find out for certain, you need to complete an application. Grandparents and guardians caring for a child <u>DO NOT</u> need to meet income guidelines.

Family Size	A Pregnant Women Of Any Age	B MCHP 0 – 18 years	C MCHP Premium \$48	D MCHP Premium \$60
1	N/A	\$21,660	\$27,075	\$32,490
2	\$36,425	\$29,140	\$36,425	\$43,710
3	\$45,775	\$36,620	\$45,775	\$54,930
4	\$55,125	\$44,100	\$55,125	\$66,150
5	\$64,475	\$51,580	\$64,475	\$77,370
For each additional fami member add:	s9,350	\$7,480	\$9,350	\$11,200

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